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INTERESTING ITEMS FROM EL VERANO AND VICINITY

Weekly Record of all the Happenings in His Town as Faithfully Recorded by Our Wide-Awake Reporter, "Archie McKiver."

Emmet Mullen spent Sunday in the metropolis.

Jas. Wise of Boyes Springs was in town Monday.

F. A. Riser was a visitor to the Bay City last Saturday.

L. Mouyer was sight-seeing in the metropolis Sunday.

Edwin Faithful visited the City of Roses last Saturday.

Miss Myrtle Minkel was in San Francisco Saturday and Sunday.

W. J. Minkel visited the Exposition City on Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. Mont. Akers of Schellville visited the Minkel home here Sunday.

Local Option is very unpopular here, especially with our new lady voters.

Louis Lamotte of El Verano Villa is spending the week in San Francisco.

Road overseer A. D. Graham transacted business at the county seat Monday.

Guy J. K. Bigelow returned from the metropolis the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Gale of Santa Rosa are visiting relatives here this week.

The Misses Kenyon took the S. P. train here for Oakland on Tuesday afternoon.

Tony Cereghino, the popular young butcher of Glen Ellen, was in town Sunday.

Rev. Father Comerford passed through here Saturday afternoon en route to Suisun.

Mayor Cummings of Sonoma passed through here Sunday en route to Santa Rosa.

Mrs. Geo. Block, accompanied by Miss Lucy Block and Miss Irene Baines, visited in Kenwood last Sunday.

Kearney Bros. of this place are engaged in plowing the extensive vineyards on Rhinefarm east of Sonoma.

H. H. Granice, accompanied by his daughter, Miss Ramona, passed through here Saturday en route to the metropolis.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Carriger were here from San Francisco last Saturday and attended the funeral of Fred. V. Carriger.

A special train passed through here Friday morning with a number of high officials of the Southern Pacific Co. on board.

A large number of the friends and neighbors of the late Fred. Carriger in this place attended his funeral in Sonoma Saturday.

Leo Baines was in San Francisco the fore part of the week looking at several automobiles which he expects to dispose of to local people.

Jesse Burris of Sonoma transacted business in Santa Rosa Monday.

Thomas Walsh was a Southern Pacific passenger for Glen Ellen Saturday evening last.

Dr. Parramore of Boyes Hot Springs transacted business in Santa Rosa between trains.

John Nufer of Oakland is building a nice summer cottage near town on the Carriger tract.

Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Wilkinson visited relatives in Santa Rosa the latter part of last week. Mr. Wilkinson is our laundry man here

A. D. Graham has sold his ranch in the southern suburbs of town to B. Gordon, a Hebrew capitalist of San Francisco, who, with his family, will make his home here.

Among the young gallants from this burg who attended the dance of the Glen Ellen Social Club last Saturday night were Lloyd Riser, Geo. Block, Chas. Groskopf and Billy Block.

The farmers are rejoicing over the rain. El Verano was getting pretty dry looking, and just about as dry to as it will ever get notwithstanding the coming Local Option election.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Gale left for the East Saturday morning after spending several weeks with Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Gale of this place. They are in love with our valley and may return and make their home here.

Rumor has it that Joe Hayden, an old-time actor and formerly a member of the Jim Post theatrical company, will return to the trade he learned when a boy, that of a blacksmith. He expects to open up a horseshoeing shop on the Mathewson tract at Verano.

Frank Arnold, mail clerk on the Santa Rosa and Vallejo run, has returned to work after a month's lay off on account of a sore finger, which has been bothering him of late. An operation was necessary, and the finger is getting along nicely, permitting him to resume his run.

With the coming of the Local Option agitation here and the large increase to our Hebrew population it looks as though some of us will have to get out to make room for this new class of settlers. A new Jerusalum is springing up in the chicken town annex to El Verano and it is said a Jewish rabbi is to locate here and build a synagogue.

A number of our young boys are cultivating the dangerous habit of jumping on and off trains as they arrive and depart at the station here. Brakeman Riddle is kept busy keeping the young rascals from boarding the trains in order to prevent an accident. The parents of these youngsters should keep an eye on them, else a serious accident may befall them.

ARCHIBALD MCKIVER.

El Verano, March 6, 1912.

Chas. Spindler's Weekly Letter on Local Option.

Mr. Editor:

In reply to Mr. Bigelow's letter of January 25th, I stated that the express company would be benefitted financially, and I am making this statement based upon personal observation during my extensive traveling through Georgia and Alabama in 1909, after both States went dry state-wide.

The railroads had to add considerable to their schedule of running trains, because the express company required this to handle that enormous jug business for the whiskey houses, mostly half and one gallon jugs, all provided with a shipping tag with two lines on same:

"Mr. _____

Charges: (amount printed.)

Even on many stations the offices of the express company were too small to hold all the jugs and additions had to be provided for. And in would come Bill Jones addressing the agent, saying:

"My name is Bill Jones. I expect a package."

Agent—"What kind of a package?"

Jones—"A half gallon jug."

Agent—"What is your name?"

Jones—"Bill Jones."

Agent goes to the rear of the room, puts Bill Jones' name on the shipping tag, and then hands the jug to him saying: "$3.25 charges," which Bill Jones has to cough up before going forth with the precious jug.

This shows that instead of stopping the whiskey consumption, it increased it, and whereas distillers formerly had to give credit to saloon men, they then got their money cash, and the express company acted as forwarder and collector, doing a well paying business.

But what Temperance and Prohibition movement really did when at its height in 1908 to 1909 is that it decreased the sale of beer in one year by 1,444,183 barrels, but increased the sale of whiskey by over a million and a half gallons. These figures are given in the annual report of the Internal Revenue office, and the California wineries will tell Mr. B. how much their sales decreased on the product of California soil, Sonoma Valley included.

The alcohol percentages in beer is from 3½ to 4, averaging 3.75 per cent, in table wine from 6 to 10, averaging 8 per cent, in fermented cider 5 to 10, averaging 7½ per cent, and from these figures it is obvious that by the decrease of beer in above cited fiscal year of our government the drinking evil went from bad to worse.

Here I want to quote from a letter written by Dr. H. P. Bowditch of the Harvard Medical School on February 14, 1906:

"In my experience I have found the real obstacle to rational temperance movement to lie in the fact that fanatical total abstinence agitators are apt to combine with dealers in intoxicating liquors in defeating moderate measures looking toward a reform in the use of alcoholic drinks. That at least has been our experience here in Massachusetts during the last twenty years."

The fact of the matter is that whiskey dealers and distillers are in favor of State-wide prohibition and do not say anything against closing saloons, whereas brewers and wine producers are fighting these objectionable measures.

I have argued with many, when talking on this subject, that the best way towards true temperance is the two-class license, as in vogue in European countries. Even in Holland they have a three-class license system.

The U. S. Internal Revenue laws should be amended, and licenses issued for fermented beverages (beer, wine and cider) at the present cost; but for the sale of distilled liquors an additional license should be issued at a very stiff price. Of course this should be handled by the Federal Government, being better able to control it, but I have seen it carried through by communites. Of late I have passed through the State of Washington, and right near an army post I had the pleasure of observing a refreshment place with no bar; tables and chairs all around and only beer, wine and cigars being served at a reduced license, issued by the city. And the short orders and sandwiches served with beer perhaps amounted to more than the latter.

Whether the army officers were the instigators I could not tell, but I heard them say that the establishing of this refreshment place had reduced the number of arrests for intoxication and disorderly conduct by 70 per cent. The place was conducted like a German second-class license-inn ("Wirthschaft"), and it made me think the army canteens should be opened again on these principles, and our soldiers would be better off than they are now, driven to gin-islands when on furlough. A good deal of deserting would be stopped and the recruiting stations would be able to get young men with less advertising.

Now, while I believe that saloons of today should be replaced by the cafe, restaurant, guest house, concert hall or whatever you wish to call them, and conducted in a measure so that nobody would feel offended, when visiting these places nevertheless I am certain that closing the saloons would work far greater harm than good.

The drink question is a most interesting subject, if one looks into it as throughly as I have gone into it, and not simply taking Mr. Hardman's lamentations for granted. It is a matter that almost touches every department of life and cannot be settled offhanded with a simple: *Roma locuta est, causa finita est.*

CHAS SPINDLER.

Chicago, Feb. 20, 1912.

—Note: Mr. Editor, I will explain the benefit to rubber manufacturers in the next installment.

Socialist Meeting.

Howard H. Caldwell of Ohio, lecturer and author, will deliver a lecture in Union Hall, Sonoma, on Monday evening, March 11th, under the auspices of Socialist Local Sonoma.

Mr. Caldwell is a man of great ability and will, no doubt, give his audience an interesting and instructive address.

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BONDSMEN LOSE IN CITY HALL SUIT.

Appellate Court Sustains Judge Denny in Suit of Quartaroli and Others vs. the City of Sonoma

The sequel to the building of Sonoma's beautiful $28,000 City Hall was the opinion handed down by the State Appellate Court last Saturday in the suit of the L. Quartaroli, Chas. Dal Poggetto, J. Fochetti and N. J. Heggie instituted several years ago against the City of Sonoma to recover the sum of $3590.85, value of material alleged to have been unlawfully seized by the city to complete the structure.

Just previous to the big earthquake of 1906 the City of Sonoma entered into a contract with T. J. MacQuiddy of this place to construct our new City Hall for $15,475 and his fellow defendants gave a bond in the sum of $4000 to the city guaranteeing that MacQuiddy was to faithfully perform the terms of his contract. Later MacQuiddy was given a payment of $1000 on account and then defaulted in his contract.

While preparing to build the city hall MacQuddy had gotten a quantity of material on the ground which the city authorities had estimated as to its value, and then let a contract to James B. Newman to complete the building for $14,200. Newman took the property on hand, completed the contract and received the money promised him.

Before Newman began to place the material in the building MacQuiddy made a bill of sale of it to his bondsmen, who had also signed other obligations for him. The city contended that this was done to secure the bondsmen. After the completion of the building the bondsmen claimed the residue in the fund for the building, and Judge Denny gave them a judgment for the amount, $275. This they repudiated and desired to get all the material or recover its value. The City of Sonoma took the position that as the bond was given, which the city contended was a valid law bond, it was the duty of the bondsmen of MacQuiddy to see that the building was constructed for the contract price, and that if they took the material the city would be out the amount of $2590.85. This is the amount of the judgment confirmed in the Appellate Court's decision.

Having lost out in the Superior Court MacQuddy's bondsmen took an appeal to the Appellate Court about a year ago. They could not see the justice of being made to build a $28,000 City Hall for $15,200, but this is just what they have been compelled to do by the decision of the higher court, which sustains Judge Denny. Verily, justice is blind to the right as well as to the wrong some times.

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PERSONAL AND SOCIAL NOTES AND HAPPENINGS IN TOWN.

Doings of the Various Sets in this City and Its Immediate Vicinity---The Goings and Comings and Other Items of General Interest.

The rain has done a world of good.

A. Lutgens made a business trip to the metropolis Monday.

Philip Bill of this place was a visitor to San Francisco on Wednesday.

Tom Millerick was a Shellville passenger for the Exposition City Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Fochetti, Jr., registered at the Hotel Argonaut, San Francisco, on Sunday last.

Deputy Constable McGill of Boyes Springs was a Northwestern Pacific passenger to the metropolis Wednesday morning.

John Picetti, manager of the Sonoma Valley Furniture Co., was transacting business in the Bay City on Wednesday.

J. Lucio, our local shoe repairer, has lately installed a Champion finishing and stitching shoe machine at a cost of nearly $700. It is run by a small motor and is a wonderful labor-saving device.

The Ladies' Aid Society will meet at the home of Mrs. Arthur Luce on Tuesday next, March 12th. Mrs. E. T. Casson will assist Mrs. Luce in entertaining the society.

A movement is on foot to start a gun club in this place for trap shooting. With that object in view a number of our crack shotgun experts met at Duhring's store last Wednesday evening for the purpose of effecting an organization. The meeting was well attended and quite a number of our young men signed the roll of membership. It is the intention of the club to hold a series of clay pigeon shoots in this valley to enable local nimrods to display their skill. Those desiring to join the club should send in their names to Julius Poppe Jr., the temporary Secretary.

Joe Ryan was a Sonoma visitor to the metropolis last Wednesday.

OLD JUPITER PUTS ONE OVER THE DRYS

Opens up the Flood Gates of Heaven and Gives Sonoma Valley a Good Dousing

Fears of a drouth in the Sonoma valley, which has yet to know a failure of crops from that cause, were dispelled Monday night when the long deferred rain commenced falling throughout this section. As the night wore along the gentle rain developed into a veritable downpour, which continued all day Tuesday. On Wednesday old Jupiter Pluvius again opened up the flood gates of heaven and it continued showery throughout the day.

Thursday morning, after an interval of six hours, the storm again set in and there were heavy showers all morning and afternoon.

The preciptation came just when it would do the most good and our farmers and stockmen are jubilant over the prospects for a bountiful harvest.

Robt. Hall, local U. S. Signal Service Observer, reports the precipitation as follows:

For the storm	2.95
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The Truth About Labor and Saloons.

The "Expositor" for February 16th published an article under the caption "Labor Unions vs. Saloons," that was viciously unjust and misleading.

Samuel Gompers, Pres. American Federation of Labor, was quoted as saying: "The time has come when the saloons and the labor movement must be divorced." The inferance is falsely made that Mr. Gompers is in favor of abolishing saloons. This is a garbled quotation and does not express Mr. Gompers' true sentiments. What he meant was that the old method of holding labor union meetings in saloons must be abolished, and his statement in full was :

"Fifteen or twenty years ago the meeting place of labor unions was a saloon or a room adjoining a saloon. This has been practically done away with."

Mr. Gompers recently declined to address a prohibition meeting and gave the following reason:

"Experience has shown the folly of prohibition wherever it has been tried, and that saloons can be regulated by law. There is not a city in Maine where a stranger cannot go and buy all the beer and whiskey he wants. There is no attempt whatever to disguise the fact that these places are operating in violation of law. As for the illicit traffic, I have seen drunken people in every city, but 1 have never seen drunks so drunkenly drunk as the drunks I saw in Maine. Organized labor has been and now is a greater factor for temperance throughout the United States than all the prohibition societies and temperance workers in the land ever have been."

The few isolated quotations that the "Expositor" gave do not express the real sentiment of organized labor, but are merely the individual opinions of a few men.

To the credit of the intelligent leaders of labor, all attempts to line them up with the Anti-Saloon movement has failed. While advocating temperance and sobriety through educational work, they are opposed to drastic laws which consficate property, throw men out of employment, interfere with personal liberty, and foist on us more evils than local option pretends to cure.

When the Kern County Council of Labor placed itself on record last fall as favoring license and regulation instead of local option and confiscation, it merely echoed what has been repeatedly done by labor councils throughout the United States. The Wisconsin State Federation of Labor passed a resolution in which they said that "a stringent stand should be taken against any and all measures that lead to prohibition." The eastern labor unions have had a wider experience with the results of local option than we have here in California and we should heed their advice.

Among those that have openly attacked local option and prohibition measures are the Indinia State Federation of Labor, Central Trades and Labor Unions of St. Louis, Central Labor Union of Brooklyn, the trade unions of South Dakota, the Missouri State Federation of Labor, Cigarmakers' Union of Michigan, Central Federation Union of Greater New York, the Michigan State Federation, Florida State Federation, Louisiana State Federation, Boston Central Labor Union, the National Potters, and others. Read what the Federation of Labor of Baltimore says about the Anti-Saloon League.

"We believe that local option and the incessant agitation by paid agitators is largely responsible for the unsatisfactory condition of business. We desire to record our unqualified opposition to the Anti-Saloon League and its efforts to force local option and prohibition upon the people of this state."

Labor Unionists will vote in accordance with their individual ideas as to saloon-closing; but the policy of Labor throughout the world is to favor license and regulation.

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Baseball

The prospects look good for a first class baseball team this year judging from the interest that is taken in the practice games. Sunday was the second time the boys have played together this season, and a close game was witnessed by those who were fortunate enough to be present. Every effort will made to give all a fair chance before the regular team is selected so don't be backward about coming out Sunday (if weather permits) and show what you can do.

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VINEBURG NEWS ITEMS

"Easy Jim" Tells in an Interesting Way all About the Week's Happenings in and About His Section of the Valley.

As high as six carloads of hay, grain and feed were received here the past week.

I wish to inform some of my readers that I will write no articles of a religious or domestic nature.

Mrs. Charles Bundschu and Miss Towle of the bay city were guests at the Rhinefarm the end of last week.

Louis Rouquie of Vineyard Villa was a passenger on the southbound Northwestern Pacific railroad last Wednesday.

North Vineburg will not go dry if D. Volquardsen's artesian wellboring outfit now at work there counts for anything.

The hearts of the granger and stockmen beats with joy. Why? Because it is raining. Did you notice it. If not, I did.

Miss May Bosch, after a pleasant visit in San Francisco, has returned home and is now a guest of her parents Captain and Mrs. Bosch.

Tony Silva has moved from Broadway and taken up his residence in the cottage formerly occupied by the Ladlees on the Napa road.

O. Sohl of San Francisco has just completed a pretty home on the Graves place, which will be occupied by his family who will reside here permanently.

A. T. Nelson has completed a new fence in front of his property facing on the Napa road. It is both artistic and unique and improves the appearance of the road line.

Mesdames E. Forni of Vineburg and Thomas Lentz of San Francisco were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Batto on on Sunday last. Monday both ladies visited friends and relatives at Pennsgrove.

Mrs. August Figone and children of San Francisco, accompanied by Miss Mary Batto, were visitors at the Batto home last Sunday. The Figones returned to their city home on the evening train, while Miss Batto remained for a stay of several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ladlee, accompanied by their son Gordon, left for Vancouver, B. C., last Saturday, where they will make their future home. The Ladlees have resided here the past four years and many warm friends regret their leave-taking.

There will be a meeting of the Standard Oil Company's Tin Can Band in a short time to elect officers and resume active practice. From the looks of the engagement rings and the busy doings around here the will have a busy season. No they will use no dynamite when they give seranades.

Enrico Forni's new building is nearing completion.

Steve Griffith of this place, who is now undergoing treatment for rheumatisiam at the St. Helena sanitarium is now convalescent and we hope to see him around soon.

James L. Modini, one of Sonoma's best known citizens, says i f the drys win out he will quit business in the Bear Flag City and start a moving piciture show in Vineburg. Alright, Jimmie, but you must secure the services of a pretty young lady for the ticket office and engage the electric lights six months ahead.

Vineburg, March 7, 1912.

Easy: I have so much to tell you I do not know what to say. Tell me something. Oh, yes! Do you know a firm in Vineburg called "We?" Well, I tell you the members are "we." You see "we" know everything. "We" can do everything, "We" know everybody's business (but our own). "We" can tell you everything whether it is so or not, and oh, you should see, know and hear all the things that "We" don't know, so next week see if "We" don't know who Ethel Eastlake is.

Sincerely, Viola Vineburg.

Vineburg Mar. 1, 1912.

Easy: Did you ever read the constitution of the United States and the Sonoma Expositor. Which shall we live up to, the golden rule of the former or the dictations of the latter? I, for one, cannot see where our personal freedom is coming in. Has it come to pass that because one simpleton or another cannot indulge in a glass of beer or wine without making fools of themselves that I have to be deprived of it? If that is the case it is wise for all liberty-loving citizens to emigrate. My parents were in the saloon business for twenty-seven years. There I was born and raised, while my father was in that business. When I was a little tot I got my little stein when I was eight years old, and at fourteen years I got my regular size two or three times a day.

And up to this day I never offended the public, never made a fool of myself and never was in a conflict with the police authorities.

Beleive me, Easy, if some of the parents would give their children a small portion of the beer and wine that they drink themselves on the sly, we would get good results bringing up a child to know what liquor of any description is and teach it to use it with descretion, then you will be teaching them true temperance.

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Vineburg, March 8, 1912.

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Mr. Carl Dresel Criticises Rev. Bane's Prohibition Address.

Mr. Editor:

Sunday night I listened to the address on Prohibition by Rev. A. C. Bane at the Sonoma Congregational Church.

Rev. Bane is a very good talker, with perfect command of the English language and possesses in eminent degree what I should term the dramatic instinct.

He establishes his premises by quoting statistics compiled for the use of the Anti-Saloon League, by exaggeration of facts concerning alcohol and by stating as facts things that are not facts. Upon these premises he builds his argument, and by special pleading works with admirable skill upon the feelings and emotions of his audience. He does not omit to express pity for the misguided liquor dealer.

When men are about to commit, or sanction the commission of some injustice, it is not uncommon for them to express pity for the object either of that or some parallel proceeding, and to feel themselves at the time quite virtuous and moral and immensely superior to those who express no pity at all. This is a kind of upholding of faith above work and is very comfortable.

Let us see how some of Rev. Bane's statements tally with actual conditions and with history.

He proceeds, with shudders and a great deal of feeling, to show that alcohol is a most terrific poison; how it undermines your physical and moral health, how it destroys your reason; even the smallest doses affect your brains in such a degree that you cannot act or think correctly. How is this borne out by facts?

Christ drank wine and established a new religion, which I, for one, consider the most perfect the world has so far seen. Alcohol, in this instance, seems not to have blunted Christ's feelings or his mental capacity.

From Homer down to Shakespeare all the greatest poets the world has known have used alcohol, some of them to excess, compared to what today is considered by a normal devotee a permissible quantity. The greatest minds of all nations in philosophy, the professions, art and industry up to the present time have used alcohol and found it helpful and beneficient. And as to the virulence of the poison in alcohol I will only mention the surgeon of Vandemont, Lotharingia, Dr. Politiman, who, ever since his twenty-fifth year, after his day's work, got drunk, and succumbed to the terrific onslaught of this dreadful poison at the age of 140 years!

Of course you will also find a total abstainer who is capable, who has brains and who adds to the sum of human wisdom and achievement. So far in the history of the world they are few and far between like the proverbial kernal that the blind chicken sometimes picks up. The chicken reminds me of an experiment that the prohibition poultry men will hardly approve.

M. Joubert, professor of the Agricultural College at Fontainebleau, France, has experimented with fowls of all kinds for several years, and found the same result in every case. He experimented with two sets of twelve fowls of the same breed, adding bread soaked in wine to the food of one of the two sets of twelve. After six separate trials the wine fed hens laid more eggs in the proportion of twenty eggs a month.

The Duchess Hohenburg of Austria, economical wife of the heir-apparent, repeated this experiment with two flocks of six hens. Within four months the wine hens laid 148 more eggs more than the blue-ribbon hens. Furthermore, the eggs of the wine-drinking hens were larger and of better quality than those of the prohibition hens. According to one eloquent French writer: "The wine stirred the hens' imagination, for her vision was enlarged, her horizon expanded, and her view of life took a more serious turn as she realized her mission."

Rev. Bane, with much pride and unction, told us that the present Prohibition Party (organized 1869), the Woman's Christian Temperance Union (1874), the Anti-Saloon League (1895), all working for the drink reform movement of the present day, have already succeeded in placing 72 per cent of the United States territory under prohibition. This is true. But what have they achieved as to the reduction of alcohol consumption? Here are the statistics and the figures are taken from the U. S. revenue department where a strict account is kept of every gallon even to a fraction of a gallon:

Year.	Population	Distilled and Fermented Liquors Withdrawn from Consumption.	Annual per capita Consumption in Gallons.
1897	72,189,000	1,131,440,281.20	15.67
1898	73,494,000	1,239,090,110.20	16.85
1899	74,799,000	1,216,336,897.30	16.26
1900	76,129,000	1,311,072,020.10	17.22
1901	77,747,000	1,353,563,557.50	17.40
1902	79,365,000	1,482,148,773.50	18.67
1903	80,983,000	1,558,960,798.00	19.25
1904	82,601,000	1,610,485,428.60	19.49
1905	84,219,000	1,649,240,597.50	19.58
1906	85,837,000	1,816,818,690.10	21.16
1907	87,455,000	1,948,960,507.70	22.28
1908	89,074,000	1,940,881,674.40	21.78
1909	90,691,000	1,860,101,985.20	20.51
1910	92,409,000	1,970,422,253.70	21.34
1911	94,927,000	2,094,322,574.00	22.29

For a period of fifteen years these temperance fanatics have increased the consumption of alcohol from 15.67 gallons per capita to 22.29 gallons per capita! Furthermore these figures only represent the legitimate, the licensed trade, no consideration is taken of the illicit still, the moonshine. Commissioner Cahill, of the Internal Revenue Bureau, in his annual report recently issued, states: 2488 illicit distilleries were seized and destroyed by revenue agents, against 1911 for the previous year. Illicit distilling is most extensively prevalent in the states of Alabama, Georgia, North and South Carolina, Tennessee and Virginia. There you have your prohibition states! When reading these figures bear in mind that last year in the entire United States only 923 registered distilleries were in operation. Would not that jar you?

When Rev. Bane asks you in his dramatic manner to vote for this method of abating the evil attending the use of alcohol, I advise you to pause, reflect, weigh carefully, lest you, with the best intention in the world by your vote against the regulated liquor traffic, only increase the evil!

Rev. Bane's statement that "70 per cent of all the children conceived during the vintage in Italy were born mental deficients," is absurd on the face of it and an insult to the Italian nation, as Italy is the most temperate of all the European nations and consumes 18 gallons per capita yearly less than we do in the United States! Rev. Bane attributes all crime, all poverty, everything on the face of the earth that is vile and objectionable to the use of alcohol! One thing is a consolation. When Adam in the Garden of Eden pleaded that the woman tempted me and I did eat, and when Eve in turn cried that it was the serpent which had beguiled her, God did not take much stock in their excuses; nor did he prohibit apples, and the serpents are still crawling the earth, except in Ireland where God assisted St. Patrick to get rid of them.

Many of Mr. Bane's hearers last Sunday will follow his advice rather than mine. He is a minister of the gospel, college graduate, belongs to the respectable society. I am, according to his description of the effect of alcohol, mentally and morally delinquent, blunted in my better feelings and emotions and belong to the other society—can there be a doubt where truth and honesty in advice can be found?

But let us analyze a statement of fact made by Rev. Bane in a previous speech in Sonoma and see how he gathers his facts and how correct they are.

Rev. Bane probably knows little of actual conditions in Sonoma and as the Men's League of Sonoma imported him, probably one of the members supplied the information upon which he states:

"Thirty dollars daily are taken in over the counter of every saloon and there are 23 of them." How perfectly absurd such a statement is will readily be seen when you figure a little.

$30.00 times 365 days, $10,950 times 23 saloons, $251,850 spent yearly for drink. Can you believe it? Drinks sell at 10cts., 3 for 25 cts., and 5 cts. The average sale of drinks for 10 cts. is equal to 75 drinks and at 5 cts. $22.50, equals 450 drinks, or a total consumption of drinks in each saloon of 525, or the 23 saloons the modest sum of 12,075 drinks. Now the census shows Sonoma with a population of 954 souls. Eliminate the female portion, that is 477 and 50 per cent of the male for minors (the century book of facts gives this percentage) that is 238, and for the Men's League, such as live in the outskirts and seldom come past a saloon, all total abstainers by choice, about 128 more and you have a total of 843 that do not enter a saloon practically at any time This leaves for the actual patrons 111 individuals, the moneyed aristocracy of the town for they spend the modest sum of $251,850 in one year for drink. But the magnificent capacity for drink! 12,075 drinks, an average of 108 drinks for each person daily! I claim there is no one person in Sonoma that can accomplish this feat and remain on his feet. At noon each day we ought to see 111 persons staggering along the sidewalks and toward evening the streets should represent a veritable battle ground as these staggerers would by then have come to earth. But no, 108 drinks is only the average for all drinkers. We know, that even the imbibers have different habits, 75 out of the 111 are certainly rational drinkers—my own average is but three, so take 8 each for the 75 and saddle the rest, 7500 upon the shoulders of the 36 remaining real imbibers and you have for these a daily consumption of 316-1.3 drinks!

Now this is difficult to swallow in any sense, and if Rev. Bane's statements are as carefull gath red generally, I for one, am not much impressed by them.

Forty-two years ago, I came to Sonoma Valley and from that time to this, with exception of 18 years in which I travelled for three months in the states selling Sonoma wine, I have been almost a daily visitor of Sonoma. At my arrival here, Sonoma had not 200 inhabitants but four saloons; to my knowledge four habitual drunkards and most any time, mostly Sundays I saw intoxicated persons in town. Sonoma to day has 954 inhabitants, 19 saloons and to my knowledge one habitual drunkard and no people staggering drunk on the streets for months at a time. The only drunks occasionally met with are tramps and not bona fide residents. Is not that a fair showing even for the poorly regulated Sonoma saloons? 300 per cent less habitual drunkeness, no drunks left in the streets in spite of 500 per cent increase of population and saloons.

How does prohibition territory compare with this?

Two young men from the state of Maine have lately settled in Bennet Valley and told me the other day, they were astonished that in a wide open community as Sonoma they had not yet met a single drunken person, while any day in the week you would meet several drunks, even boys on the streets of their little home village, and they have no saloons.

Vote out your licensed saloons and you will have the some conditions here.

Drunkenness is a curse. I consider it a crime, and must be combatted at all costs. Moderate use of alcoholic stimulants is the very reverse of a curse or a crime, and no more harmful in any way or immoral as it is to eat. Eat immoderately and it will kill you quicker than immoderate drinking.

In conclusion I wish to say that Rev. Bane exaggerates every statement he presents, fails to draw obvious conclusions from actually known to be correct statistics and misrepresents his neighbor engaged in the liquor business as well as he who drinks any alcoholic beverage at all.

As he opened last Sunday with a quotation from the bible I will close with:

"He who loves not his brother whom he hath seen, how could he love God whom he hath not seon."

CARL DRESEL.

Library Hours

Beginning Saturday March 9, the Public Library will be open every Saturday from half-past two until five o'clock. This extension of the hours of the Library has been decided upon by the Trustees in order to afford greater facility to patrons who reside out of town.

The regular schedule of Library hours will be as follows:

Each week day, 7 p. m. to 8. p. m. Wednesdays and Saturdays, 2:30 p. m. to 5 p. m.

The month of February showed the largest circulation the Library has ever attained. During the past six months the Library has acquired by purchase or gift over 200 volumes, including many of the most popular works of fiction, both adult and juvenile. In addition there have been a large number of volumes of standard works of various classes added to its shelves.

The Library is now in better condition to serve the public than it ever has been before and this fact is evidently appreciated as shown by the large increased circulation.

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MRS. E. T. ALLEN HAS PASSED AWAY

Expires Suddenly at Her Home in San Francisco Tuesday Morning

Mrs. E. T. Allen, who has resided in this valley at her country home "La Lomita" the past twenty years, died very suddenly at her residence in San Francisco at 10 o'clock Tuesday morning.

The deceased's health had been failing for over a year, and although the end came suddenly, her death was unexpected. Mrs. Allen was a most gracious women and enjoyed a large circle of friends in San Francisco and the bay cities. She leaves besides her husband, E. T. Allen, several sisters and a brother residing in Rhode Island. She was also the aunt and foster mother of Ensign George W. Kenyon, U. S. N.. and the Misses Emma and Anna Kenyon of this valley.

The funeral took place in San Francisco last Thursday.

Mushroom Poisoning.

Mr. Papus of Buena Vista station and two friends from San Francisco who were dining with him partook of a quantity of mushrooms last Saturday evening. Shortly after the repast Mr. Papus and his guests became violently ill and on Sunday morning, home remedies having failed to relieve the sufferers, Dr. F. Leix was sent for. After suffering for five days his patients were pronounced out of danger, after having had a very close call. As it is, the toadstool acid poison had made such headway that the three sufferers at this writing are unable to swallow solid food and can partake of liquid nourishment only.

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Election Officers Appointed

At the regular meeting of the Board of City Trustees, held last Wednesday evening, the following were appointed as election officers for the coming municipal election in this city:

Inspectors—L. Breitenbach and B. F. Campbell.

Judges—Jep Valente and V. Bulotti.

Clerks—L. H. Green and Roy Pauli.

Ballot Clerks—D. Fussel and Mrs. Amelia Bates. The latter has declined the honor, however, and her place will be filled by another appointee.

Death of Grandpa Philip Bill.

Philip Bill, the venerable father of Philip Bill, Sr., of this place, died at his home in Russell City, Alameda county, last Tuesday, at the ripe old age of 87 years. The deceased was a native of Germany and a pioneer of this State. He leaves many descendants residing in this valley and other sections of the State.

Personal.

Furnished cottage to let—Six rooms. Located on Broadway. Apply O. R. Wagner, Sonoma.

Dr. L. B. Lawson, specialist of the Lawson-Rinner Optical Co., Santa Rosa, will be at the Union Hotel on Thursday March 21st.

The Ladies' Aid of the M. E. Church will give a St. Patrick's entertainment on Friday evening, March 15th, at the Sunday school room of the church. A good program will be presented and refreshments served. The proceeds will be devoted toward improving the parsonage. All are cordially invited to attend. Admission, 25c.

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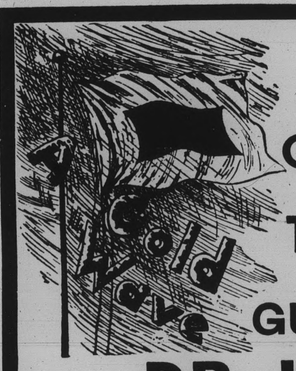

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One Exception.

A wealthy senator from one of the eastern states has a son who has been known chiefly for his dissipated habits, and on one occasion the senator put the young man "on the carpet," warning him that he must cease his bad habits.

"Well, you know, dad," said the son, "I am apt to do everything in excess. I can't drink or smoke or gamble in moderation. I can't do anything in moderation."

"There is one exception, my son," objected the senator. "In one thing you are excessively moderate."

"What's that, sir?" asked the youth, surprised by this concession.

"Work," answered the father dryly.—New York Tribune.

High Louis and Low Louis.

It is not unusual for persons to talk glibly about certain "styles" of costume or decoration without any intelligent idea whatever concerning them. Such was the young woman who, according to a writer in the London Sketch, entered a shoe store and said to the salesman:

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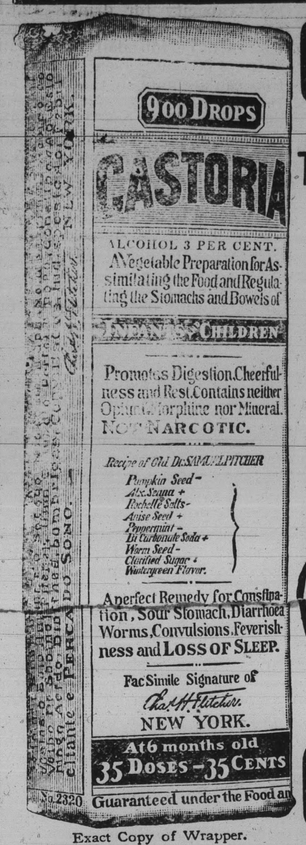
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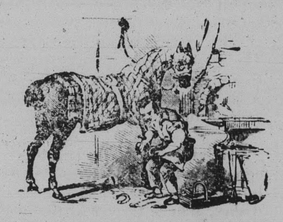

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